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Grant Parish Fair is Assured

The Meeting at Dry Prong Gives the Fair Association a Boom that Makes Final and Complete Organization an Assured Fact.

On Saturday, March 4th, the citizens of Grant parish interested in the organization of the Grant Parish Fair Association gathered in a goodly number at Dry Prong, and the outcome of the meeting is that the final organization of the Association is assured.

In all, counting men, women and children, something near five hundred people were present, and great interest was manifested in the proposition. Colfax was represented by J. H. McNeely and son Virgil, C. H. McCain, J. J. O'Quinn, J. A. Hyde, Geo. Jordan, A. B. Perkins, R. S. Cameron, J. A. Williams, Rev. H. W. Ledbetter, E. A. Mathis and H. G. Goodwyn. Verda was represented by H. L. Brian and C. L. Purvis, who were on hand with authority and instructions to subscribe stock to the Fair Association to the amount of a thousand dollars or more, if by so doing the location of the parish fair in that town could be secured. The Verda delegation made no secret of their desires in the matter, but were free and open in declaring their intention of securing the location of the fair at Verda if possible.

The exercises of the day were begun by Mr. Ray Watson, of Dry Prong, calling upon Mr. C. H. McCain to act as master of ceremonies, which were conducted in the church, and calling on Mr. Jno. L. LaCroix to make a few remarks appropriate for the occasion. Mr. LaCroix talked considerably more than an hour. He said many instructive things in a forceful, homely and practical way, which were greatly appreciated by all present, his talk occupying most of the morning hour.

Mr. Mason Snowden, in charge of the U. S. government demonstration work, was then introduced. He made a very interesting statement about the large amount of demonstration work being done in Louisiana, and gave some most instructive information about improved agricultural methods. He particularly felicitated the people of Grant parish on the organization of a parish fair, as it was one of the greatest helpers we could have to disseminate useful methods among the farmers.

Attorney J. A. Williams was the next speaker, and in a talk of about twenty-five minutes, in his usual happy style, entertained the audience until the dinner hour.

The church building was too small to contain the crowd, and many stood outside at the doors and windows, while others of the home folks busied themselves preparing dinner, which was spread on a table near by. The hospitality and welcome of the citizens was very evident in the lavish display of good things to eat which they had prepared for the occasion.

The order of the day and the decorum of all was most excellent and it took but a word from Messrs. S. D. Cooper, R. H. East and Rev. W. N. Creed and others assisting, to carry out any movement desired by the managers. At a given signal the ladies and children gathered on one side of table, and after grace by Mr. J. W. Barron, all feasted to their hearts content.

After dinner the crowd again assembled in the church, and were entertained about forty minutes by Mr. H. L. Brian in a most instructive talk about improved farm methods. He believes in a parish fair as one of the most practical ways to have the farmers get together and swap useful information. He hoped to see the Association organized at once, and he said that his town of Verda stood ready to take all the stock not taken, if by so doing they could secure the location of the fair in that town.

The crowd began to break up about 4 p. m., everybody seemingly well pleased with the success of the meeting, and especially rejoiced in the assurances that were given that the fair association would be organized without delay.

Messrs. H. L. Brian and C. L. Purvis, of Verda, were in Colfax on Wednesday, prepared to subscribe for all the stock needed to make the Grant Parish Fair Association a going concern. We understand the matter is now in definite shape for permanent organization, and, acting on this fact, Mr. J. W. Duncan, chairman of the committee on organization, has called a meeting in the court house at Colfax at 1 p. m. on Saturday, March 18th, of the stockholders, to decide as to a site for the fair and other details. This notice will be found in another column.

Resolutions of Respect.

Montgomery Lodge No. 168
F. & A. M.

Whereas the Divine Architect and Ruler of the Universe, has seen fit, in his wisdom, to send the grim monster, death, into our ranks, and take from our midst our young and beloved brother, William Oscar Deen, at whose grave and to whose memory on Sunday, Feb. 26, 1911, we paid our last tribute of respect, by forming in funeral procession and laying his body to rest at Mars' Hill cemetery, with Masonic honors; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Bro. Deen, Montgomery Lodge has lost a bright and promising Mason, the parents a loving and obedient son, the church of Christ a faithful and zealous worker.

Resolved, That we cherish his memory, mourn his untimely death, and extend to his heart-broken mother and father our deep sympathy. That this Lodge be draped in mourning, and that we wear, for thirty days, the usual badge of sorrow. That these resolutions be spread on our minutes, a copy be furnished the bereaved family, also a copy be sent the Colfax Chronicle for publication.

Respectfully submitted,
M. E. JACKSON,
B. E. WOODS,
C. W. PAYNE,
Committee.

A Fierce Night Alarm

is the hoarse, startling cough of a child, suddenly attacked by croup. Often it aroused Louis Chamblin, of Manchester, O. (R. R. No. 2.) for their four children were greatly subject to croup. "Sometimes in severe attacks," he wrote "we were afraid they would die, but since we proved what a certain remedy Dr. King's New Discovery is, we have no fear. We rely on it for croup, and for coughs, colds or any throat or lung trouble." So do thousands of others. So may you. Asthma, hay fever, la grippe, whooping cough, hemorrhages fly before it. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Sold by all druggists.

J. E. Walker Shot and Killed by Father of Man He Convicted.

Alexandria, March 6—Judge J. Emmett Walker, mayor of Pineville, was shot and killed this afternoon by William McManus, Four shots were fired, two taking effect, one entering under the left arm and passing through the heart, and one entering the shoulder from the back, making only a flesh wound.

The killing was the outcome of a trial in which Robert McManus, son of William McManus, was fined by Judge Walker for shooting into a crowd of negro hay-riders some months ago. Robert McManus appealed the case to the district court. It came before the court this morning, and Judge Blackman upheld Mayor Walker's decision. This, it is said, angered McManus' father.

C. N. Ross, an eye-witness, says that he was standing in the door of the Charles Turner store, and that Walker went in the postoffice and spoke a few words to him. In a few moments he came back on the gallery of the store, and Ross' attention was attracted by a shot. Looking around, he saw McManus standing on the gallery with a pistol in his hand. Walker jumped from the gallery and threw his hands up and begged for his life, saying, "Please don't murder me." He ran across the street, closely followed by McManus, who fired two or three more shots. Walker fell on the sidewalk in front of the gate to the R. L. Ball residence, expiring immediately.

After Walker fell McManus waived his pistol over his head and said, "Now, try another white man with a negro jury."

McManus turned and went up Main street to his home in the edge of town. He was followed by Oliver Schwartzberg, former constable of the Pineville ward, and placed under arrest.

Mayor Walker leaves an aged mother, a wife, seven children, one brother and four sisters to mourn his untimely loss. His children are Mrs. Max M. Levy, of this city; Mrs. Sallie Mashburn, Misses Pearl, Ruby, Carrie Lucille, Odette and Robert Walker, of Pineville. His brother is Mr. James H. Walker, of Pollock; and his sisters are Mrs. Lucy Davis, of Decatur, Texas; Mrs. Mayo LaCroix, of Pollock; Mrs. J. F. Nunnally and Mrs. J. W. Dammon, of Pineville.

Attacks School Principal.

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Thirteenth Judicial District Court,
No. 2547.

Florsheim Bros. Dry Goods Co. Ltd.
vs. B. E. Woods.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Honorable Thirteenth Judicial District Court and to me directed in the above numbered and entitled suit, I have seized and will offer for sale at the principal front door of the court house in the town of Colfax, La., between the hours prescribed for judicial sales, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 1911,
the following described property seized as the property of the defendant, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of section 28, and west half of the southeast quarter of section 28, township 8 north, range 5 west, situated in Grant parish, State of Louisiana, and containing 240 acres, together with all timber and improvements thereon.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement.
This January 27, 1911.

A. B. PERKINS,
Sheriff of Grant Parish, La.

Notice of Entry Under Timber and Stone Act.

U. S. LAND OFFICE,
New Orleans, La., Jan. 4, 1911.
Notice is hereby given that
J. BENJAMIN GILLIS,

whose postoffice address is Winfield, La., did, on the 6th day of October, 1910, file in this office sworn statement and application, No. 03238, to purchase the Lot No. Two, sec 12 township 6 north, range 1 east, La. Meridian, and the timber thereon, under the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, and acts amendatory, known as the "Timber and Stone Law," at such value as might be fixed by appraisement, and that, pursuant to such application, the land and timber thereon have been appraised, \$182.83, the timber estimated 77,775 board feet at \$2 per M., and the land \$27.28; that said applicant will offer final proof in support of his application and sworn statement on the 17th day of March, 1911, before Clerk of Court, at Colfax, La.

Any person is at liberty to protest this purchase before entry, or initiate a contest at any time before patent issues, by filing a corroborated affidavit in this office, alleging facts which would defeat the entry.

WALTER L. COHEN,
Jan14-td Register.

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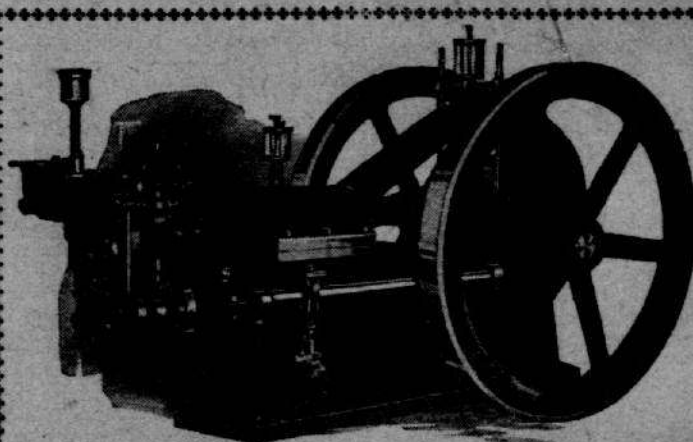


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